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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

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- 2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate Ann Garvey on the 4 5th anniversary of her business, Celebrity Dance Studio, in 5 Downers Grove; and
- WHEREAS, Approximately 15 years ago, Ann Garvey, a life-long dancer and mother of 4, started teaching ballroom and Latin dance lessons in the basement of her home in the western suburbs; and
- 10 WHEREAS, As a result of word of mouth, Ann rented a local 11 store front in Downers Grove and Celebrity Dance Studio was 12 born in 2006; Celebrity Dance Studio has grown despite 13 economically uncertain times, and is considered one of the top 14 studios in the region; and
  - WHEREAS, Ann Garvey began her professional dancing and teaching career over 30 years ago and today is a sought-after teacher, choreographer, and performer; she believes that the benefits of dancing are endless, which is why she enjoys giving back to the community through dance; in addition to teaching lessons and managing the studio, she volunteers her time in local elementary schools, has performed at various dance exhibitions for charity, and is an active member of the local

- 1 Chamber of Commerce; and
- 2 WHEREAS, The Celebrity Dance Studio staff looks forward to
- 3 serving the community for years to come, and living out their
- 4 mission of helping others discover self-confidence, physical
- 5 wellness, and the joy of dance; and
- 6 WHEREAS, A celebration will be held on October 8, 2011 at
- 7 Celebrity Dance Studio; therefore, be it
- 8 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
- 9 NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
- 10 we congratulate Ann Garvey on this momentous event and wish her
- 11 continued success in the future; and be it further
- 12 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- presented to Ann Garvey as a symbol of our respect and esteem.